



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Application of:

Bernard MARION

Serial No.: 09/986,983

Filed: November 13, 2001

For: IMPLANTABLE SUBCUTANEOUS VALVE FOR THE TREATMENT OF  
HYDROCEPHALUS, AND ADJUSTING DEVICES THEREFOR

Group Art Unit: 3762

Examiner: Leslie R. Deak

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Sir:

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action (Paper No. 9) mailed  
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